GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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AMENDMENTS IN INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES ACT, 1947
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Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to amend the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 and will introduce a new Bill known as Industrial Relations Bill for promoting harmonious relationship between workers and employers;

(b) if so, the details of the suggestions likely to be incorporated in the proposed amendments; and

(c) the time by which the new bill is likely to be introduced?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MUNI LALL)
(a), (b) & (c): Various amendments in the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 are proposed based on the requirements of the social partners. A cautious policy is adopted to bring about amendments to the Act after taking into consideration all the relevant factors. The proposals for amendments to the Act are awaiting the approval of competent authority.